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BEFORE THE  
  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application for Authorization to Construct and Render  
Natural Gas Service in the Town of Hutchins and the  
Village of Mattoon, Shawano County, Wisconsin

1140-CG-109

**NOTICE OF PROCEEDING, INVESTIGATION,  
AND ASSESSMENT OF COSTS**

**THIS IS A PROCEEDING** to consider the April 24, 2000, application of City Gas Company (City), as a gas public utility, for authority under Wis. Stat § 196.49, and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 133, to construct and place into operation facilities necessary to provide natural gas service to the town of Hutchins and the village of Mattoon, Shawano County, Wisconsin.

City is a gas public utility, as defined in Wis. Stat. § 196.01(5), engaged in the business of distributing and selling natural gas to the public in the city of Antigo and in other towns in north-central Wisconsin, including areas adjacent to the proposed project.

City proposes to install approximately 89,000 feet of plastic main and 277 services at an estimated cost of \$504,500. The project starts at an existing 4-inch gas main located at the intersection of Parkway Road and Forest Avenue in the town of Antigo, Langlade County. From there the line proceeds east along Forest Road to CTH AA, south and west along CTH AA to Crestwood Road, south along Crestwood to CTH W, continues south along CTH W to STH 47 to CTH S, and then south on CTH S to the village of Mattoon. City anticipates that ultimately the project will provide service to 250 residential and 27 commercial customers.

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

This is a Type III action under Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 4.10(3). No unusual circumstances have come to the attention of the Commission which indicate that significant environmental consequences are likely. Neither an environmental impact statement under Wis. Stat. § 1.11 nor an environmental assessment is required.

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participate in this proceeding or who needs to obtain this document in a different format should contact the case coordinator listed below.

Questions regarding this matter may be directed to case coordinator Tom Stemrich at (608) 266-2800.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, \_\_\_\_\_

By the Commission:

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Lynda L. Dorr  
Secretary to the Commission

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